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**From:** CN=Tim Vendlinski/OU=R9/O=USEPA/C=US  
**Sent:** Tue 9/18/2012 5:32:36 PM  
**Subject:** quantities of Delta outflow (historical and current)  
Contra Costa WD historical freshwater and salinity conditions\_Delta & Suisun Bay\_2010.pdf  
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Hi Erin:

Robin left me a vmail that I shared fellow Bay Delta Team members, but I wasn't sure how to forward a vmail to you so I transcribed his message below.

Robin et al. thought about Delta outflow and how it was affected by the historical Delta landscape, but they didn't take a stand on the issue.

Rather, the dataset developed by SFEI could provide the foundation for a subsequent analysis.

Key factors include the extent of different wetland types and the duration of flooding.

Robin mentioned the estimates made of historical Delta outflows by Laural Fox in the late '80s, and the more recent writings of Peter Vorster (see attached).

Thanks, Tim

----- Forwarded by Tim Vendlinski/R9/USEPA/US on 09/18/2012 08:48 AM -----

**From:** Robin Grossinger <robin@sfei.org>  
**To:** Tim Vendlinski/R9/USEPA/US@EPA  
**Date:** 09/14/2012 07:22 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Thanks for returning my call about quantities of Delta outflow (historical and current)

Sounds good--thanks Tim! Hope to coordinate w you and Karen on a presentation to SB folks at some point, and to get both EPA and SB input on the outputs of our Delta Landscapes project. So let me know when that makes sense!

Best,  
Robin

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 13, 2012, at 1:46 PM, Tim Vendlinski <Vendlinski.Tim@epamail.epa.gov> wrote:

Thanks, Robin.

Your message made sense and I shared it with my colleagues. No need to talk.

We're citing your new report in the letter we're writing to the State Water Board for the 2nd of three workshops on the Bay Delta.

Let's stay in touch. Tim

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